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From Tuesday September 21, to Saturday September 25, 1773.

Genoa, August 28.

THE Scarcity of Corn, and the scanty Harvest in Lombardy and many other other States of Italy, have occasioned the Price to rise here to above Fifty Shillings per Quarter, English, and it is feared that, as Winter approaches, the Prices will increase. Many Ships and Vessels have been sent to the Coast of Barbary, and to the Levant, in Quest of Corn; and, it is said, the Republick will ask for a Supply of Forty Thousand Salms from the King of the Two Sicilies, and Twenty Thousand Salms from the Pope's Territories.

Petersburg, August 31. This Day about Noon died here Count Peter Czernichew, elder Brother to the two Counts of that Name, and who resided many Years in England as Ambassador from this Court.

Brussels, September 17. On Tuesday last died at Antwerp, universally regretted, Prince Maximilian de Salm Salm, Knight of the Golden Fleece, and a Lieutenant-General in the Imperial Service.

St. James's, September 24.

This Day Ibrahim Agn, Ambassador from Tripoly, had his first Private Audience of His Majesty, to deliver his Credentials.

To which he was introduced by the Right Hon. the Earl of Rochford, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and conducted by Stephen Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, September 21, 1773.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That, on Friday the 17th Instant, about Eleven o'Clock at Night, a Fire broke out in one of the Barns of John Smart, of Gillingham Grange in the Parish of Gillingham in the County of Kent, which in a short Time consumed the same, together with another Barn almost contiguous, with a considerable Quantity of Corn in each, to the amount of about Three Hundred Quarters of Wheat and about Two Hundred Quarters of Barley; and that there is the strongest Reason to suspect that the same was wilfully and maliciously set on Fire: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in so heinous a Crime, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person who actually set Fire to the same) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the above-mentioned Mr. John Smart doth hereby promise a Reward of THIRTY POUNDS, to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted) to be paid by him, at his House at Gillingham Grange aforesaid, on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.

[Price Three-Pence.]

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN.

From September 13, to September 18, 1773.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Bushel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	6	8	3	4	3	3	2	4	3	6

COUNTIES INLAND.

Middlesex,	7	0			3	11	2	6	3	11
Surry,	6	11	3	5	3	7	2	6	4	5
Hertford,	7	3			3	6	2	4	4	2
Bedford,	7	3	4	6	3	11	2	3	4	1
Cambridge,	7	3	3	6	3	3	2	2	3	6
Huntingdon,	6	11			4	3	2	2	3	10
Northampton,	7	2	5	1	4	6	2	2	4	3
Rutland,	7	0	5	3	4	6	2	3		
Leicester,	6	11	5	1	4	3	2	2	4	3
Nottingham,	6	5	4	0	3	5	2	2	4	3
Derby,	6	6			4	0	2	3	4	6
Stafford,	6	7	3	11	4	1	2	3	4	5
Salop,	6	5	4	5	4	1	2	1	4	6
Hereford,	6	2			4	0	2	5		
Worcester,	6	5	4	4	4	3	2	4	4	10
Warwick,	No Returns.									
Gloucester,	7	6			3	9	2	6	5	2
Wilts,	6	7			3	7	2	4	4	9
Berks,	7	0	5	6	3	5	2	7	4	4
Oxford,	7	5			3	11	2	6	4	6
Bucks,	7	3			4	1	2	5	4	2

COUNTIES upon the COAST.

Essex,	6	5	2	8	3	1	2	3	3	7
Suffolk,	6	7	3	1	3	0	2	0	3	0
Norfolk,	6	7	3	4	2	9	2	2		
Lincoln,	6	8	4	2	3	8	2	0	3	8
York,	6	1	3	6	3	4	2	3	3	8
Durham,	6	3	4	3			2	4	3	7
Northumberland,	5	11	4	3	3	3	2	4	4	0
Cumberland,	6	7	4	2	3	3	2	3	4	4
Westmorland,	7	0	4	6	3	2	2	1		
Lancashire,	6	10			3	0	2	3	3	3
Cheshire,	6	9	4	8	3	11	2	1		
Monmouth,	6	2			3	7	1	10		
Somerset,	6	4	3	10	3	8	2	1	4	5
Devon,	6	0			2	11	1	8		
Cornwall,	5	0			2	8	1	5		
Dorset,	6	6			3	4	2	1	4	8
Hampshire,	6	2			3	2	2	2	4	8
Suffex,	6	1			2	7	2	5		
Kent,	6	7	3	9	3	4	2	1	3	6

From September 6, to September 11, 1773.

W A L E S.

North Wales,	6	8	5	2	3	8	1	9		
South Wales,	5	9	4	9	3	1	1	7		

Part of SCOTLAND.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Big.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
	5	5	3	6	3	1	2	4	3	1	2	6

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Willm Cooke.

Admiralty-Office, September 17, 1773.

Notice: hereby given, that a Session of Oyer and Terminer, and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the



the Admiralty of England, will be held on Wednesday the 10th of November next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, at Eight o'Clock in the Morning.

Ph. Stephens.

Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich,
September 25, 1773.

The Commissioners of the said Royal Hospital do hereby give Notice, That, at Salters Hall in London, on Wednesday the 26th Day of January next, or as soon after as may be, the following Estates will be let upon Lease, to commence upon the Twelfth Day of May following, viz.

IN NORTHUMBERLAND.

Greymare Colliery, now in the Tenure or Occupation of William Leighton.

That Part of Sam's Island, Parcel of the Manor of Dilston, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Sir Walter Blackett, Bart. or his Assigns.

IN CUMBERLAND.

Keswick Tolls, now in the Tenure or Occupation of John Knobley and John Man.

A Shop at Keswick, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Edward Nicholson.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of John Birkett.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of John Penny.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Joseph Tolson.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of John Dalton.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Wm. Gasgowen.

A Farm at Tynehead in Priorsdale in the Manor of Alston Moor, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Thomas Elliot.

A Ditto at Ditto, now in the Tenure or Occupation of Thomas Kidd.

One Third of the Tythes of Alston.

All Persons willing to take the said Estates are desired to give in their Proposals in Writing to Mr. Ibbetson, at the Admiralty-Office, London.

N. B. The Part of Sam's Island, and the Tythes above-mentioned, will be let for Five Years only, and the other Estates for Twenty-one Years, or under.

Jn^o. Ibbetson.

East-India House, August 25, 1773.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 29th of September next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, to consider of any Alterations which it may be necessary to make in the Company's Bye-Laws.

East-India House, August 31, 1773.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East Indies, do hereby Notice,

That a General Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Leadenhall-Street, on Wednesday the 13th of April 1774, for the Election of Twenty-four Directors of the said Company.

And the said Court do further give Notice, that in pursuance of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, no Person will be entitled to vote at the said Election who shall not have been possessed in his or her

own Right of £1000 Stock, from the 1st Day of October, 1773, except in the Cases provided for in the said Act; That all Persons possessed in like Manner of £3000 Stock, will be entitled to give two Votes; That all Persons possessed in like Manner of £6000 Stock will be entitled to give three Votes; And that all Persons possessed in like Manner of £10000 Stock, or more, will be entitled to give four Votes at the said Election; and that no Persons, in any Circumstance, are qualified to vote, unless for Stock standing in their own Names.

Bank of England, August 7, 1773.

By an Act of Parliament passed last Session, it will be Felony, without Benefit of Clergy, for any Persons, after the 29th Day of September next, (except those employed by the Bank) to have in their Possession any Mould or Instrument for making Paper, with the Words BANK OF ENGLAND visible in the Substance of such Paper, or to aid or assist in the making such Paper. And, by the same Act, if any Persons (not authorized by the Bank) shall after that Time engrave, cut, etch, or scrape, in Metztinto, or shall cause or procure to be engraved, cut, etched, or scraped, in Metztinto, or assist in the Engraving, Cutting, Etching, or Scraping, in Metztinto, any Promissory Note or Bill of Exchange, containing the Words BANK OF ENGLAND or BANK POST BILL, or any Words expressing the Amount of such Note or Bill, in White Letters or Figures on a Black Ground, or use any such Plate, or have it in their Custody, or publish any such Note or Bill, they will on Conviction suffer Six Months Imprisonment.

Robert Lewin, Secretary.

**Dr. ANDERSON's, or
The Famous SCOTS PILLS;**

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mulletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsum, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

By the KING's PATENT,

H O R S E - B A L L S,

Prepared and Sold by W. RADLEY, Druggist and Chemist, at N^o 27, near Gray's-Inn-Gate, Holborn. Purging-Balls 2s. each Parcel, containing three Doses, which in a small Compass contain all the essential Qualities of a stomatic Purge; they do not cloy a Horse's Stomach, as most other Purges do, but, without the least Gripping, scour a Horse well, and make him stale plentifully.

The Virtues of the other are too long to enumerate here. A little Attention to the Care of Horses, and a few Medicines seasonably applied, will prevent or remove the most obstinate Coughs, Grease, Worms, Disfluxions of the Eyes, &c. which Horses are subject to, and when neglected are attended with bad Consequences; a more particular Description of which will be given to any Person who will take the Trouble of sending to the above Shop. Horse Medicine Chests complete 5l. 5s.

ALL Persons who have any Claims or Demands upon the Estate of Thomas Cape, deceased, formerly of King's-Head Court, Pater-noster-Row, London, Taylor, and late of Henley upon Thames in the County of Oxford, are desired forthwith to send Accounts of their respective Demands to Mr. John Walton, of Girdlers-Hall, Basinghall-Street, London, in order that the same may be discharged; and all Persons who are indebted to the Estate of the said Thomas Cape, are hereby required to pay their respective Debts to the said John Walton, who is empowered by the Executor to receive the same, or they will be prosecuted for the Recovery thereof.

TO be Sold, A Plantation in the Parish of St. Joseph in the Island Dominica, with the Slaves, Implements, Stores, &c. The Land is 274 Acres, 70 of which are completely cultivated and planted with Coffee and Provisions, the Residue very valuable Wood-Land. The Slaves are 50 in Number, all able bodied, well seasoned, and some of them Handicraftsmen. The Buildings consist of a convenient Dwelling-House for the Manager, and others for the Slaves, in good Condition. The Land is not only advantageously bounded towards to the North-West by the River Layou, but hath also an useful Rill of Spring Water taking Course through the Middle of it. The Whole of the Plantation is eminently fertile, and being only three Miles distant from the Sea, to which it hath a good Road, it is deemed to be equal in the Advantages of Situation to any Lot of Land in the Island. Principals desirous to treat for the Purchase, may be further informed, by applying to Mr. Fell, in Clifford's Inn, London.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Richard Harvey, of Holbrooke in the County of Derby, Shop-keeper and Flaxdresser, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Wednesday the 20th of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Samuel Simpson, the Sign of the Ship, in the Full-Street in the Borough of Derby, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against Joseph Stallard, of Coleman-Street, London, Smith, Ironmonger, and Brazier, are desired to meet the said Bankrupt's Assignees, on Wednesday next the 29th Instant, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at the Sign of the Hatchet, in Little Trinity Lane, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; and also to their compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against William Perkins, of Fowkes-Buildings near Tower-Street, London, and William Browne, late of Fowkes-Buildings aforesaid, Merchants, and Partners with Thomas Buchanan, of North America, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects, on Friday next the 1st of October, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Ship Tavern in Leadenhall-Street, London, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing, prosecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity touching the said Bankrupts Estate and Effects; or to the compounding, submitting to Arbitration, or otherwise agreeing, any Matters in Dispute relating thereto; and on other special Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commission of Bankrupt lately issued against John Craven, of London, Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 28th of September instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at Garraway's Coffeehouse in Exchange-Alley, London, to consult and advise on Matters relative to the Bankrupt's Estate, which will be then laid before them.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Shepperd, of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th Day of September instant, on the 12th Day of October next, and on the 6th Day of November following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London; and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Rich, Brownlow-Street, Dock, Acre, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Benjamin Skett the Younger, late of Wardour-Street, Soho, in the County of Middlesex, Grocer

and Oilman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 5th Day of September instant, on the 12th Day of October next, and on the 6th Day of November following, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mess. Winbolt and Son, in Tokenhouse-Yard, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against James Decker, of the City of Norwich, Cabinet and Chairmaker, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 28th Day of September instant, on the 9th Day of October next, and on the 6th Day of November following, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Robert Wymer, the New Inn, in St. Giles's Broad-Street, in the Parish of St. Gregory in the City of Norwich, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. George Wymer, Attorney, at Norwich.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Forder, of the Parish of St. Faiths near the City of Winchester, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 21 and 24th Days of October next, and on the 6th Day of November following, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Lawrence Darking, known by the Name of the White Hart Inn in the said City of Winchester, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupt is required to finish his Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. John Spearing, in Winchester aforesaid.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Richard Wills and William Falkner, of the Parish of St. Luke Chelsea in the County of Middlesex, Carpenters, Dealers, Chapmen, and Partners, and they being declared Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th Day of September instant, and on the 23d Day of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, and on the 6th of November following at Four in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of their Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to choose Assignees, and at the last Sitting the said Bankrupts are required to finish their Examination, and the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of their Certificate. All Persons indebted to the said Bankrupts, or that have any of their Effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the Commissioners shall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Williams, Lamb's Conduit-Street, Red Lion-Square, London.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Merrington, late of Yarm in the County of York, but now of Norton in the County of Durham, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 2d and 9th Days of October next at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 6th Day of November following at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their